## THE J. W. Bailey Mercantile Co. HAVE JUST RECEIVED.

"ew Cloaks for Ladies ranging from \$5,00 to \$15.00 each dew Cloth Dolmans ranging from \$7 each to \$10. New Sitk Dolmans rauging from \$20 to \$75 each New Cloth Russian Circulars ranging rom \$10 50 to \$25.00 New Silk Russian Circulars, Plan and Bocaded

New Cloth Paleto's at \$10 00 to \$25,00 each. New Broended and Radzimere Silk Newmarkets. New Satin Lined Circulars, For Troomed.

New Plush Sacques Irom \$25.00 to \$51.00. Also a few New't hridre 's Cleats and Havelocks.

If you intend buying a Winter Wrap you cannot afford to mis there bar-

# Fair Warning To All.

FUR LINED and FINE IMPORTED WRAPS as soon as possible, and to do it shall name come very low prices this week. It you need a Winter Wrap come now and ger first choice of these grand bar-

gains. We also offer this week a ceral barga as in Fine Ready Suits

# Novelties in Celluloid Toilet -ets.

Cellu o d Dressing Combs and Hair Brushes. Cettuloid Hat and Clothes Brushes. New Styles in Plush and Leather Hand Bags and Satchels. New Designs in Plash Whi k Broom Cases.

Ebony Gilt and : lash Photograph Frames Fixe Embroidered Plu h Talies and Talle Scaris, Late Styles in Ladie ' Lace and Mull Fischus.

Novelties in Ladies' Embroidered, Hemstitched and Plain Linea Collars. Children's Collars in Popular Stres Attractive Specialties in Ladies' and Gents' Liven Hand erchiefs

From this date for yard we shall be almost daily receiving goods adapted for Holiday Gifts, which we shall take pleasure in showing, Please remember that our store will be kept open every Saturday night until 9 o clock

Fifth and Felix Sreet. ST. JOSEPH, MO.

### CLOSING

I will sell at ACTUAL COST my Stock of Goods to Close Out. This is a RARE CHANCE to get seeking health, will real with increst, the salary fix d at \$1,000. We congrate of this pleasant little city. No mean in them a long, happy and prosperous lift. Good Bargains, and will only LAST a letter from him which will be found on our inside. We regret to learn that -On account of Tong a way of on push then be; and we b lieve, no man, were received: until I get a Purchaser for the whole lot. Come early and get your Dress Goods, Table Linen, Zephys, and Ter A No. 1, is first class in very loss fi ting scirrups, those everlisting Yarns, Hoods, Nubias, Embroideries, particular and those desiring this fifty stormps that will wear you so we !. Handkerchiefs, Collars, Ginghams, Payne Muslins, Skirts, Underwear, Shawls, Tidys, Ribbons, Fringes, Velvets, Laces, Corsets and Hosiery.

GEORGE W. NIES, Oregon. in the liver future

### Most Interesting and Latest News! ---THE LARGEST AND FINEST ASSORTMENT OF-

Toilet Sets. Smoker's Sets.

Work Boxes, Shell Boxes, Books, Vases, Toy Blocks, Toy Drums, Mechanical Toys of all Kinds, Toy Tea Sets--Wood, China and Tin,

The Finest Assortment of Majolica Ware, and the Largest and Finest Assortment of Candies ever brought to Oregon. A

All of the above, and many other handsome Christmas presents, can be found at

## E. P. HOSTETTER'S, OREGON.

## (ANDERSON & BOYD,

-MANUFACTURERS OF -

### Team Harness

of every description, and SINGLE and DOUBLE BUGGY "ARNESS, D alers in Saddles Collars. Whos, Brushes, Comb. and e evy hing in our line. We use nothing but the BEST of LEAF/IER, and guarantee sa isfaction. We will sell you a BETTER HARNESS than you can be in the count. for the money Don't fail to come and see us when in want of a Harness, Saddle r anothing in

## NOT HOW HEAP, BUT HOW GOOD. ANDERSON & BO OREGON, MISSOURI.

#### Hotel for Sale.

What is known as the Commercia! Main building is two stories high, 86x50 teet; go d sample room 11x22 teet; kitchen 16x24; 20 rooms in all. Frame building For for her par ticulars, address, JOHN COX. ticulars, address,

MAITL ND. NO -Minto & Burg ss a e givt g off in with ten pr cent. descount on a

#### For Sale.

90 acres of prairie land, a d 20 in timbe ; elimproved, 5 miles south-ust of Mound ity, 'erm reasonsbis. Inquire on premises, or address.

J.J. THOMPSON,

Mound City, Me. -Moore & Hoffman ave a farm for te . a German ne ghbo ood m which there is a bargain for some one; will trade same for a smaller one.

#### -Has Dave Nipker found that key? -Go to P. M. Zook's Art Gallery for going repairs Fine Large heads

-Born, to Andy Burrer, Jr., and down temporarily. wife, December, 16, 1883, a son.

-P. M Zook will take your photorgaphs running, sitting or standing - Get Anderson & Boyd's prices on Saddles before purchasing e sexh re.

- The dance at the Opera House Thursday night was a decided success. | -There is a good opening for a wood - Minten & Burgess are giving off an merchant at Fortesque and Napier. extra ten per cent, discount on all Winter goods.

- An interesting letter on the Chinese our inside page.

and evening. All invited.

evening, January 10th. A rich pro mas eve. gram is in proparation.

raphy was lost between Oregon and Blankers N w Point. The fieder will please leave the same at this office.

-The last grand jury of Ardrew January 1st. county, reported the old court house as being "disgracefully dilapidated and unworths the name of a court house." -The following officers have been

elected for the ensuing year, by Christ. France farm in the bottom, near his Meyer Post, G. A. R : Commander, O. C. Hill, S Vice, A C Ware, Jr. Vle, J H Nies, Q. M., W T Eddy

-- Mound City Post, G. A. R., has excited the following officers for the ensuing year; Comminder, M M Smith, S. V Vice, Jas. Landon, J. Vice, Mr. Roseberry, Q. M., John Potter,

-Do you wan: a strictly first-class Buggy or Wagon? Callatt e Centrat, them on his own make of Saudles. where you can get a bargain that you will never regret. H. C. SCHMIDT Prop., Oregon, Mo.

-Mcs D. E Bennett's Christmas dinner is spoken of by those who were so fortunate to be pre-ent as being the nost elegant ever spread to Oregon. We regret that previous engagements prevented our attendance.

-The many friends of A. H. Jamisou, who is now in Callaway county,

The Fillaco e Mids noder the management of J Savers and son, is turn, to have the SENTINEL out on time. ing out a most excellent grade of flouy. can fl d it on sale at the store of J / B.

sale of per onal property on the farm Unless they complete their work in the of Levi Oren, one mile east of New early spring, all, that has been done Point, on Saturday, January 5, Sve will be lost. u derstand that Mr Colliscall Catemplates engaging in bas nesse; han and

week for injeries to at Mangiter, consed by defective s dwalks. Unless the or uncels of Orego and B gelow repair their walks they may have a similar suit on their hands some of there days

-The W. C. T. U. will meet in the Pre-byterian church next Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, dev ding just an January 4 h, at the Opera House. The hour to the work. Come ladies, see and know for your-elves, how thes meetings are conducted. It will do you good Edna G. Carothers, Sec.

-Ab. Dauglass, of this city, has been engaged as floor manager for all the dances that take place in Forbes township during the year 1854. He the oughly understands dancing, and a better selection could not have been made. Success to you. Ab, and watch out for the falling bricks.

-The wives of the members of brist. Meyer Post, are requested to meet at the residence of J. H Nies, on next Monday afternoon, December 31st, at 2 o'el ek. A large attendance is enenestly requested. This request is made by the committee of arrange sients for the approaching emertain-

-Some of our people seem to be impressed with the idea that none of our painters can't do a good job of graining. Mr. Ab. Greene has just complet ed a piece of graining in walnut, at the residence of Ira Peter, that will compare with any in this section of the "tate. If you contemplate havin, any work of this kind done, be sure and give Mr. Greene a chance.

-Philip Burgess, of Forest City, now has one of the finest sample rooms there is to be found in any city. He has just input in a new 15-ball pool table, new par fixtures, room re papered, and everthing fixed up in tip-top shape The bu-iness is under the charge of air. George Mar z, whose name a one is a safficient goaran ce that everything will be conducted in a first-class manner.

-The Baker s hool is progressing finely under the charge of f. M. Hud both of Mound City. gia . Forty scholars are enrolled Average att-ndance the past menth, 28, of Biglow The f llowing scholars are reported as not being absent during the month; both of Forbs.

Armenic Rev. Armetta Parker, Rosa Barnest, Otie Hill, war Gyer Mich. both of Oregon. Worley, Wm. Ray, Clyde McWilliams. Lena Baker, Eddy Daun, Louis Baker.

-The White Cloud ferry is under-

-The Burr Oak saw mills have shut

- Nelse t hust, of Craig, is very ill not expected to live.

-II. C. Schmidt sells the boss wagon Orehard City. -We have a farm of 160 acres for

sa'es. Call at this office.

-Remember -Cheap Photographs at P. M Zook's Gal ery for a short time -A-k Phit. Schlotzhauer, of Bluff from W. R. Speinger, will be found on City, about that duck he shot at last

be held at Sterrett's Hall, Thur-day held by the Sunday schools on Carist-Anderson & Boyd are offering special

- An exhibition will be given at the Id'e Wilde school, on the evening of

-On ac ount of stekness of the teacher, the Burr Oak school has been temporardy closed

- Wm. Bratton has traded for the former home. Welcome back.

-We are glad to learn of the improvement of little Morris Stokes, of Craig, who has been qu to sick.

-On Wednesday, 27th in-t., Esquire Hoffman united in marriage, Mi-s Alice Mary Sterrett, Flora Chesbro, Carrie officiating, Nowles and Mr. Scott Waggoner

-Go and examine those iron bound -tirrups at D. M. Martin's. He puts -Henry Molter, our accommodating

freighter between Oregon and Forest tity, will put on an extra wigon next -Your oath for January 1st should

SENTINEL now, henceforth and to ever and enterprising citizens, an excellent supper was given at the residence of "In the field of desting, we reap as we -Mound City postellice has been

placed on the list of salarsest office and on the a ert looking to the upbuilding triends of the happy couple in wisting

e heland this

- Mr. Joe Colli-on will have a bub ic Wible has been stopped for the wieter.

-G W. Webster, of New Point, was thrown from a horse Thursday even ng of last weet, receiving severe bruises

-M. M. Smith has belonght suit about the head that will lay him op against Mound City 10, 15,000 dam for some time. -The colored Concert Company will give an entert imment at Sterrett's hall. next Friday evening, January 4th. A

tich program is promised. Go and have a go d laugh. -A concert will be given by our col ored people on next Friday evening, entertainment will be given f r the ben-

efit of the colored Baptist church. -During the winter, we understand. there will be delivered at the back opposite White Cloud, about 100,000 feed posts and about 10,000 cords of wood

Lots of work for those wanting it. -J. Sayers, of the Filimore Mills. was in Oregon last week making arrangements to have their flour handled here. They are making a No 1 article of flour. J. M. Howard has it tor sale.

-Theodore Smirl and Manda Peter son, of traig, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony last Thursday The wedding took place at the re-idence of the groom's parents, and was a brilliant affa r.

#### MARRIAGE LICENSES. Hardin R. Notand and Sarah M Williams

E. Hamilton and Mary A. McAnne

T. C. Forkey and Nancy E Weaver Edgar Philips and Anna Derby. W. F. Williams and Nancy M. Win

niham. John K. Longnecker and Elia R Lyman J. Marion and Fannie Wilk-

Richard Cleavenger and S. T. Yeo Thos. P. Smiri and Amanda Peterson.

James Steele and and Amelia Barrett. A. J. Kelley of Oregon and M. J. King of Forest City, P. W Zachery and N. L. Browning

II. L. Lundy and Abble Griffin, both L. M. Linder and Kate A. Morris,

Jas Lowe and Clara J. Amon, both

THE PROPERTY OF THE PARTY OF TH

WEDDING BELLS.

#### THATCHER-EVAKS.

sympath'es gives a tone like the harp each other for the first time in thir een poet, by the pupils of Mrs. McKinney's of Æolus to the nightest breath; her years. sensibilities light up and quiver and brightly, while the ear h was covered poet's pic are was depended from the fall with all the veritable flace of her with five inches of snow, miking all walls, and tastefully decorated with mane word in which we centered all two, which should soon beat as one- the desk bore these words; her hopes, her joss, her life. The an- At precisely one o'clock the words | John Greenleaf Whittier, December nonneement that will interest scores of were pronounced which bound the con- 17th, 1807, old friends not only here but elsewhere, teneting parties together as turband will be received with p ensures-that Dr. and wife, for better or for worse. J. T. Thatcher, was married on Thurs- Happy congrutufations were given. The zirls were nicely prepared each

Ka e Q. Evans, both of this city. The marriage was so empized at the M. E. church, Rev. S. Carothers offi t. fellow-townsman, Mr. T. I. Kreek, and enjoyed the exercises. It was under--Rev. S Carothers will preach in -P. M. Zook is prepared to make ating, in the presence of troops of his ived in Oregon all his ife, prove stood that the boys were also well pre-Oregon next Sonday, both merning you good Photographs in dark, cloudy friends, whose warmust whishes gave ing htmsslf a young man of fine pared, in len of the unusual listeners, arestation to the hold he brole and character and industrious habits. The they spirited themselves away, leaving -Do not forget that a Camp fire will The usual Christmas festivities were groom had upon their affection and bride is the youngest sister of firey. S. but one solitary boy who had the couresterm. Heaven ble s them seemed to Carothers, of the M. E. Church, and age to stand his ground. Such conduct be schoed in all hearts, and the sincer- during her short stay in Oregon, has is, at least, a sad commentary on the es: and be-t wishes were accorded won the esteem and love of her many bravery of these boys; and the more -A copy of Guyot's Physical Geog- inducements in Lap Robes and Horse, them amil a profusion of rares flowers ass ciates. She will make a faithful, execut is due the girls and the one boy in corping with the occasion. "He loving christian with May success at was the man of all men for her, she the tend them, is not only the wish of THE one woman made for him."

ers, was suspended from the ceiling un- groom's parents. der which the bridge couple stood, while the words, which bound them to gether as husband and wife were aftered. A beautiful monogram in flowers

Hi I and Jenuie Cotton. Kline's beautiful wedding nearch, in an sol d and thri ty German farmers. exquisite perfect manner.

Roomepathic physician who enjoys a the groom's paire is. large and Incruive practice, their ever | The Sentines unites with the many our community has more energy and. The following handsome presents on entering he mar lage states carried

with him a beastier G of speed from the citizens than the Doctor. The bode, has been a resident of our city from infancy; here she was school ed; here she grew to womanhood, and here she takes the colligation of all ohis gati ns-the wife; extensive commenis onne-e-sary-she i-known by all and esteemed by all-she was attired in a nich dress of garnet satio, made in walking stirt length, with over dress of same, white kid gloves, and garnet jewe ry. She carried an elegant baquet

of natural flawers. The bridal party left on the midnight train for Macon City, No., where they will make a brief visit with relatives of

THE SENTINEL extends hearty congratulations.

The following is a list of presents received:
Gold bracelets, Landtry, the group:
Wilver butter dish, appropriate engraving,
numbers of the A. O. U. W. Sliver cake stand, engraved, members of A F siver spoon-holder J E Cummins and wife. Silver sugar bowl and crystal butter dish, Frank Hassess, Iswa Point, Kast Silver syrup dish, Mes S. McKinney, Silver pickie disk, Ed and Albert Whitmer, Dr. sing case, Dr.C. I. Evans, Silver cup, Missouri Keley, Sat Silver icu spacus, Mrs. Montgomery and Mrs. S.Q. Godin.

Set silver ten spacers, Mrs. Montgomery and Mrs. S.Q. Goulli. Set silver table knives, T. H. Parrish and wife, Set berry spoens, E. Van Buskirk and wife. Set silver not picks and cracks, T. U. Dungan and wife.

Holiz,
Pair piet re panels in plush, King & Prend.
Silver and agate tea urn, Rev Carothers and

Sei majolica dishers, H T Alkire and wife. Whist broom in hand-painted case, D S Alkire and wife.
Crystal berry bont, S B Lukens and wife.
Rasket of hot house plants, Anderson & C

Dressing ease, Mrs A K and L C Irvine. Embrudered Supper case. Mrs Kreek.
Pin custion, Henry Molter and wife.
Pantet Placque, Nellie Kreek.
Par Robentan vasce, Mrs Mary Sterrett,
Pair vascs, Sudie Collins.
Vasc, enp and saucer and plate, Mr Harry and
Mrs Limbird, St. Joseph.
Pair cut glass cologue bottles, in plusic case, J.
Kreek. A Kirck.
Pair cut glass calogve bottles in plush case.
Neal Hoblitzell and wife.
Serup book, Mrs. H. S. Kelley, Savannah, Mo.
Illustrated gift book, Mrs. S. G. Thomas.
Don Quixote, He ward brownlee.
Shakspeare's complete works, Jennie Van
Jendy, Milton, Mo.
Mrs. Henney, Martin Glass.

Mrs. Hemans' poems, Mattle Glenn. Point face, handkerchief, Mrs. W. P. Drake, Mound City. Hand mirror, L.R. Knowles and wife, Amelor thermometer, J.M. Hanness, Star thermometer, A.C. Carle on and wife, St

Joseph
Plash work box, and packet book, M V B
Frinfrock, Mansfield, Onio.
Mand-made purse, George W. Nies.
Handsome tidn, Titlie Slutts.
Parlor lamp, Daniel Zook and wife.
Boquet of natural flowers, Jennie Cotton.
Pair Bisque statues, Mrs Schatz and daughter
St. Joseph.
Pair Japanese salts, Phil J Zilles,
Bottle of cologue, B: Evans.
Cook spron. Mrs M Soper.
Drawn thread it in Cyntha Wright.
Set table linen, J B Payne and wife.
Tida, Molle Taylor.
Fringe card, Chas Spicer, Fillmore, Me.
Collection of sea shells and mosses, W R
Springer and wife, Santa Cruz Callfornia. Collection of sea shells and mosses, W R
Springer and wife, Santa Cruz California.
Pair Can ry birds, Molle Stoan,
Reli of point lace, Mrs S Davidson,
Butter knife and sugar spoon Simpson Jones,
and wife, Trenton, Me
Odyssey of Homer, Mollic and Jennie Haigler

#### KRYEK-CAROTHERS. Married, at the residence of the

bride's sister, Mrs T. W. Matthews, Curham, Lee is county, Mo, by the Rev. S. Carothers, of Oregon, Mr. Curham, Legis county, Mor, by the Rev. S. Carothers, of Oregon, Mr. men or bors-boy with a mustache Phomas O. Kreek of Oregon, and Miss prefered—can find Noisby Suits and Maine Carothers, of Kirksville, Mo. The weeding of this happy couple

was a most pleasant affair, attended by nearly all of a large family of the

heart's best live, and she list us to the hear's glad, especially the hearts of the evergreens. The blackboard behind

day evening last, the 27 h ins . to Miss by al , wishing the two a long and sug with her dut, a d performed it very cessful career.

The groom is a worthy son of our

SENTINEL but a large circle of friends The church was elegantly and taste. The bridal party arrived in this city lections, all of which were well perfully festocned and decorated for the on Wedne day, and on the following formed. A concert exercise, an extract occasion with choicest flowers. A large, day a reception was tendered, the hap- from-"The Eternal Goedness" by the umbrella in evergreen and natura flow- py couple at the residence of the whole school, was admirably read,

#### BENDER-DREITER

Married, at the resid-nee of the bride's parents, five unles northeast Nipher, and Mary Peter. Se ecti na "T. E" was also a benefiting piece of of Oregon, Thursday, the 27th inst., were read by Mattie Benson, Myrile work-The floral decorations being Mr. Lyle Bender and Miss Mary Kyger. Recitations were given by: made by Mrs. K to G Ho tz. Mrs Dreher, Rev. Asling, of Gregon, Gertie cummlus, Minnie Rostock, Ida

The contracting parties are two of read by Kat'e Green. At precisely eight o'clock the bridge Holt's most popular young people, the party entered the church preceded by groom being a son of Mr. Elias Bender, the ushers, Mr Pail J. Z lies and Jas. an old and highly respected citizen of or two only from each will be given. E. Commins, while the parties moved this county. The bride is a daughter From Lub. Dobyns' collection , down the side, Miss Cavile Hill played of Mr. Frederick Dreher, one of our

After the ceremory a sumptious wed-The groom, Dr Thatcher, has been ding dinner was spread, to wai h a resident of Oregon f r several years, all hands did ample justice, and on be-"I swear that I will take Titk and is one of our most liberal-hearted Friday evening an elegant weeding

Pair lines table civiles, grown's mother buttal moths Roma Pierce. Buttal motio and med quilt, Lorenia Bender, Musticeus enp and salore, A.J.Kender. Eight day civet, G.W.Bender.

Eight day closer, G. w. Render, Crystal set, D. Kankle and tamily, Pickle dish, J. F. Kunkle and family, Fruit dish, Besle and Delta Kunkel, Set pickle, C. dine Dreher, S. Chances and forks, John Dreher, S. Chances and forks, John Dreher, Standspread, Marthy Kundle, Stand spread, Marthy Kundle, Table cloth brade, parther

#### Table cloth, bride's marker, Half dozen plates, Mrs. Elizabeth Kunkel. RELLEY-KING

A plea-ant wedding occured last Thursday evening, the 20th inst, the contracting parties being Mr. A.J. Kellev and Miss Minnie J. Klog. The cer em ny was performed at the residence of the bride's parents, O H. King, Esq. near this cry. by Rev. Tobias, in the presence of a large ircle of friends.

#### WOMAN'S UNION.

On the 6th day of January, 1872, Mrs. S. Q. Goslin, A. E. Goslin, M. M. Soper, od of instruction. Mary Curry, Annie Batchelor, Annie K. Irvine and Elvira Broadbeck assembled at the residence of Dr. Goslin, in this city, and organized themselves in- days. to a society, having for its object the mental, moral and physical improvement of woman.

Thus seven women started what is now a society with about 125 names enrolled as members.

This society has done more than any other towards the improvement of the inhabitants of Oregon and vacinity, by hireing lecturers and troupes; and this Oregon for the past ten years. They have paid out nearly \$4,000 for this pur-

There is no institution of an intellect- press; consequently times are lively ual character in northwest Missouri, of and pretty much everybody and his which the friends of true progress have | neighbors are prospering. greater occasion to feel proud over than the Woman's Union. Several societies have been organized here that have done good work for the advancement of the people, but none have done as good work or held together as long as this

Every Monday night the mothers of a large number of Oregon households, burdened with the worrying household cares of every-day life, meet at their hall to pass a few hours in pleasant recreation and literary pursuits, and thus forget the cares that make our mothers old before the sun of life has scarcely reached the meridian.

niversary meeting, and Jan. 6, 1884, 1 being the 12th anniversary, we may look out for something good. They are trying to get up a 4 column folio newspsper for that occasion which we hope will be a success.

### WANTED!

Forest Cit , Mo.

IN HONOR OF WHITTIER. Last Friday atternoon was appointed brothers and sisters of the bride, com- to celebrate the seventy-sixth anniver-Marriage is a word to which woman's ling from far and near, and greeting sary of the greatest living American Christmas day dawned room in an appropriate place, the

"I mourn no more my vanished

erditably both to he self and teacher. Several visitors were present who well

who remained

The exercises consisted of sones. quotations, essays, recitations, and se-Quotations were given by :- Eva Payne, Cynthia Berler, Bertie Stackey, Emma Allen, Emma Kunkle, Minnie Roselius, Anna Thuma, Emu a Roecker, Hattie Limpus, Pearl Bennett. An essay was

Maxims were read by three little irls; they were gems of thought, one

"Dearer Ercedom's ruggest labor Than the pastime of a slave " Forget self in love's service and the

Then canst not pay the ange's shall forget " Katio Ashworth:

"Let those eyes the good behold In everything save sin Mattie A len:

The love of God more plain ' Yet love will dream and faith will That somewhere, somehow meet we

"Wrongs of man to man but make

The exercises began with the reeding of a letter from the noor himself in his own hand-writing, to the teacher of the

department It concerned the date of his birth which has been confused by some authors; and beside expressed his gratitude to teacher and papils for the re-

membrance. This me had of teaching literature, and cultivating a taste for the classics is highly commendable. These pupils no doubt have more information regarding Whittier, his though s and poems. than they would get in any other way; and they will remember this author when they have forgotten dozens of others, of whom they have received fainter impressions in a different meth-

### FORBES

-Our select has closed for the holi--Dan. Lyans has imported a fine

Jersey red pig. He is a beauty.

upying our young folk's attention. Rolla Romsey shipped the finest lot of hogs from here last week, averaged 804; and brought kim over \$4.25

-Chris mas ball and parties are oc-

-Uncle John Cooksey bad the misfortune to be pitched out of his wagon organization has been the means of last Thursday. He loosened up a bringing nearly every amusement to couple of his ribs, but is around again. - Wood, hegs and when are red ing out of here on nearly every freight, and

> money is rolling in on nearly every ex--When any of our citizens want a mess of fresh catfish, they go down to the lake and out a hole in the ice, and the fish coming to the surface they pick

may get scarce. TEACHERS' INSTITUTE The Hot County Teachers's Instim's convenes at B gelow school build-

out what they want. Several have put

up a berrel for future use, fearing they

ing. January 5 h, 1881, at 10 A. M. PROGRAM: thus forget the cares that make our mothers old before the sun of life has scarcely reached the meridian.

They have been in the habit of giving a literary treat every year at their aniversary meeting, and Jan. 6, 1884, being the 12th anniversary we may be a seen and respectively.

AFTERNOON SESSION Hurelment of members for the four weeks
Normal Institute for next wasdon.
Examinations in our behools—Samuel Ruley
as I March Polk.
Panishments—Their Uses and Abuses—Miss
Cora liayless and F. L. Maxwell.
Questions and Asswers on Points of the
School Law by all members of the Institute.
Relation and Influence of the Graded Schools
to the Country schools by any and all present.
Committee.

-P. M. Zook is receiving a large inthe Holiday trade